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# GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE & COLLECTOR SOUTH TRIPURA DISTRICT: BELONIA

NO.F.6(267)-DM/S/JDL/BLN/2020/157

Dated, 3rd May, 2020.

### ORDER UNDER SECTION 144 OF Cr.PC

Whereas, it has been made to appear that Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India vide order No.40-3/2020-DM-1(A) dated, 1st May, 2020, has extended the lockdown measures for containment of COVID-19 pandemic in the South Tripura District up to 17/05/2020 to contain the spread of COVID-19.

#### AND

Whereas, COVID-19 has been declared as pandemic by the World Health Organisation (WHO) and to combat the disease from community spreading and to ensure safety of people residing in South Tripura District, I am satisfied that there are sufficient reasons/ grounds for imposition of prohibitory order U/S 144 of Criminal Procedure Code (Cr.PC), 1973 for preventing danger to human life or safety of people in South Tripura District.

Therefore, in exercise of power conferred upon me under Section 144 of Cr.P.C.1973. I. Shri D. Bardhan, IAS, District Magistrate & Collector, South Tripura District hereby impose following restrictions with a view to prevent danger to human life, health and safety:

- 1. Prohibition on the assembly of 5(five) or more persons within South Tripura District.
- Prohibition of social, political, cultural, religious or other gathering / congregation within South Tripura district.
- Prohibition of the functioning of cinema halls, shopping malls, gymnasiums, sports complexes, swimming pools, entertainment parks, theatres, bars and auditoriums, assembly halls and similar places.
- All religious places/places of worship shall be closed for public. Religious congregations are strictly prohibited.
- The movement of individuals for all non-essential activities shall remain strictly prohibited between 7:00 PM to 7:00 AM.

 Wearing of face cover is compulsory in all work places and adequate stock of such face covers shall be made available.

However, the other activities permitted by the abovementioned order of Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India in the Green Zone shall be applicable.

The order shall come into force with effect from zero hour on 04/05/2020 and shall be effective for a period of 14 days up to and including 17/05/2020.

Any person contravening this order shall be punishable U/S- 188 of the Indian Panel Code. In view of the emergent nature of situation, the order is passed ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal on 3rd May, 2020.

(Debapriya Bardhan, IAS) District Magistrate & Collector, South Tripura District.